

A TASTE OF WHAT'S
NEW IN JAPAN

JUMP
START
SERIES

HUNGRY MARIE

BY RYUHEI TAMURA

Taiga Bijogi has been in love with Anna Sagimiya ever since they first met. But he is the grandson of a leader of a Taoist temple, and she is the daughter of a priest, so the two of them can never be together. But that won't stop Taiga from confessing his love—that is, until he discovers the dark secret her family has been keeping for 200 years...

PREVIOUSLY IN *HUNGRY MARIE*:

As children, Taiga Bijogi and his friend Mamoru break into the church next door in a test of courage only to find that a new girl has just moved in—Anna Sagimiya. Years later, Taiga still can't get this girl out of his head! Unfortunately, his family and hers are mortal enemies, and they can never be together. Ignoring the advice of his best friend, Taiga is still set on confessing his love to Anna... only to stumble upon her practicing a summoning ritual! After being discovered, Anna kidnaps Taiga and, to his confused enjoyment, forces him to be a sacrifice to bring back the soul of Marie Antoinette's daughter, Marie Thérèse Charlotte. But things turn even stranger when Taiga is hit by lightning and, instead of dying, is transformed into a beautiful girl!!



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START!**

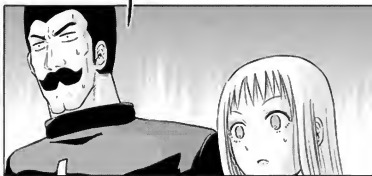
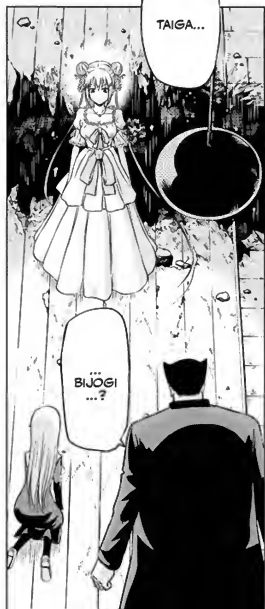
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Chapter 2: I Am Her...?



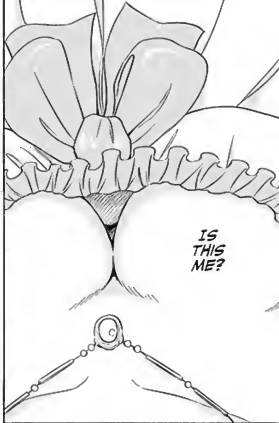


WHAT'S...
...GOING
ON?



WHAAAAAT?



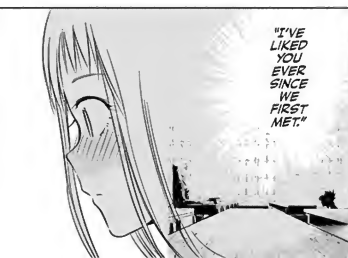
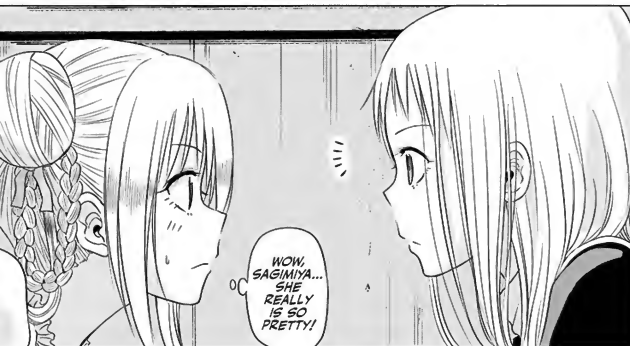






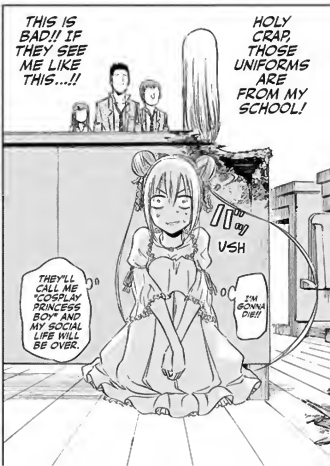
















YOU
PUT
YOUR
HANDS
ON
HER...

...
JUST
NOW
...



IT'S A
REAL
GHOST
PRINCESS.

I
SAW
IT.

ME
TOO.

SHE'S
TOTALLY
STARING
AT US.

Gyaaaaa!!
Crap!!
I can see
her too!!

THIS IS
THE REAL
THING! WE'RE
SCREWED!!
WE'RE ALL
CURSED!!



I
TOLD
YOU
TO
HIDE!

....!



GYAAA!!
She's not
disappear-
ing. She's
totally not
disappear-
ing. I'm
scaaaared!



NOOOO,
SHE'S
GETTING
CLOSER!

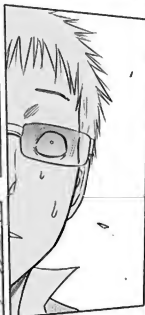
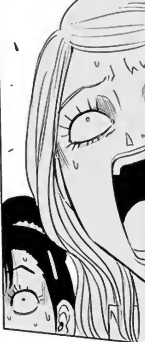
MASHIBA!!
THE
SALT!!
THE
SALT!!
USE IT!!

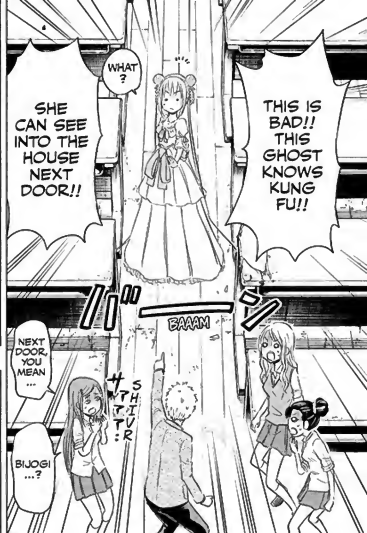


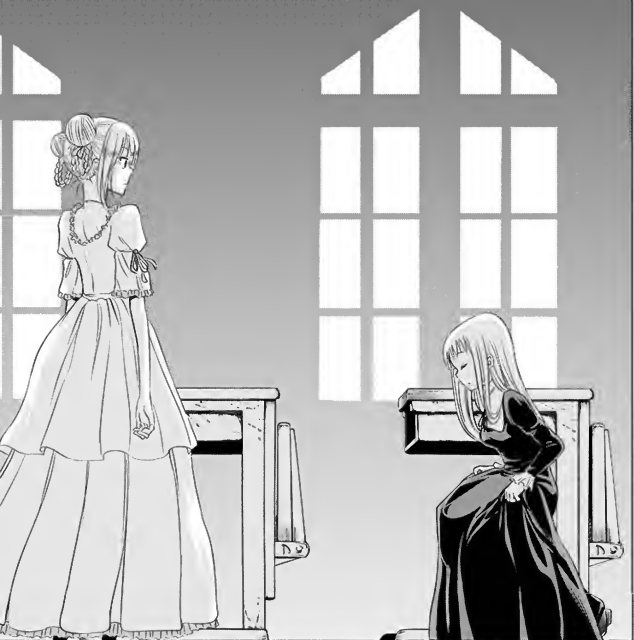
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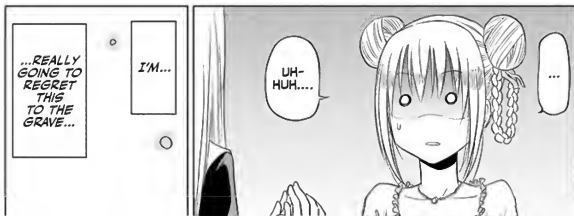












...WOULD
DEVOLVE
INTO A
STORM...



FOR WITH
THAT ONE
REPLY,
MY LOVE
STORY...



LIKE I SAID, IT'S
THE STUPID BRAT
NEXT DOOR THAT'S
INSIDE OF HER. HE
TOLD US EARLIER.



PRIN-
CESS?

Like
I said—
what?!

W
H
A
A
A
T
?!

ARE
YOU
NOT
HURT?

YOUR
HIGHNESS...
PLEASE
FORGIVE
ME FOR MY
MISBEHAV-
IOR BACK
THEN.

THEN...
WHICH
MEANS...

I
TOLD
YOU...

THIS IS
COMPLETE-
LY NOT
IMPORTANT,
BUT
DID YOU
SERIOUSLY
GET A LEG
CRAMP
BACK
THERE?

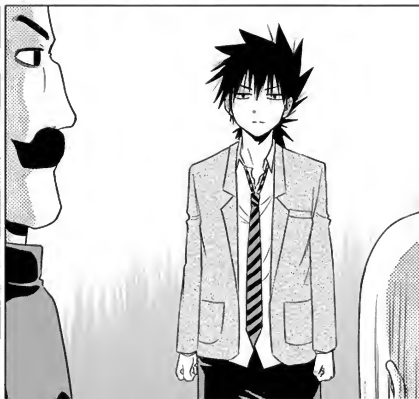
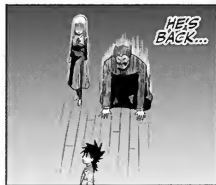


Not
this
again

You're
scaring
me...

This
is so
creepy
!!







BRING
IT TO ME
ALREADY
...

THE
CHOCO-
LATE...



WHAT
ARE
YOU
DOING?



BUT
THERE IS
NOTHING
WE-



WHAT
DO WE
DO NOW,
FATHER?!
THEY'LL
BE HERE
ANY
MINUTE!



HUUUUH?!
WHY
NOW?!



YOUR
PRINCESS
IS
TERRIBLY
HUNGRY.

